



## 2016 Water Conservation Rebate Program RAIN BARREL REBATE

Rain Barrel Rebate: \$75.00 for purchased and installed 45 gallons or larger rain barrel.

Rebate is available for all customers having active accounts with the City of Wichita Public Works and Utilities for delivery of potable water

## **Specifications**

Rain barrel must be 45 gallons or larger, algae and UV resistant and not be connected to potable water source. It must be installed in a manner so as to ensure child safety, debris control and vector control (mosquitoes/rodents). Newly installed or existing cisterns do not qualify. Rain barrel must be installed above ground securely. The overflow must have positive drainage away from any structures so as to prevent damage foundations or structures. Homemade rain barrels also have to meet these specifications.

## **Instructions**

- Rain barrel must be purchased between Jan. 1, 2016 and Dec. 31, 2016. The rebate is available on a first come first served basis, subject to the availability of funds.
- Mail the rebate application along with the required information to the address at the bottom of this page. You have 90 days after date of purchase in which to mail the application and required information for the rebate.
- Original copies of required information must be provided to verify purchase and installation. Failure to provide the required information will result in the rebate request being denied.
- Required information *must* accompany the application and this include:
  - 1. Original invoice or sales receipt showing the date and place of sale, date of installation (if completed by contractor), along with an itemized description of purchase and cost of item.
  - 2. Original proof of purchase with complete barcode, if self-installed.
  - 3. A photograph of the properly installed rain barrel.
- An inspection may be required, and the rain barrel(s) must be properly installed and functioning at the time of inspection.
- There is a limit of 5 qualifying devices per active Water Utilities account, mixed or matched.
- Rebate amount will not exceed the actual purchase price of the rain barrel or parts for building a homemade barrel, and excludes taxes and costs of installation.
- Rebates will be credited to applicant's Water Utility account.

Please mail or deliver the rebate application to:

City of Wichita, Environmental Health Attention: Water Conservation Rebate Program 1900 E 9<sup>th</sup> St, Wichita Ks 67214

**Please retain a copy of all materials submitted for your records.** The City of Wichita is not responsible for materials lost by mail. If you have any questions please call 316-268-8351.